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MEMORANDUM TO THE OPERATIONS COORDINATING BOARD

SUBJECT: Progress Report on PSD D-23 (Thailand)

REFERENCE: NSC Action No. 900

Attached for the attention of the Board is a progress report prepared by the OCB Working Group on the Coordination of PSD D-23 (U.S. Psychological Strategy Based on Thailand) under NSC Action No. 900.

I recommend that the Board note the report, and also that:

1. The report be forwarded to the National Security Council for information.
2. The NSC be requested to rescind NSC Action No. 900 on the understanding that the OCB will coordinate implementation of PSD D-23 as an operational plan contributing to the implementation of NSC 5405.
3. The working group for PSD D-23 be dissolved and PSD D-23 be referred to the working group for NSC 5405 for coordination as an operational plan under NSC 5405.

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Attachment:

Progress Report on PSD D-23, "U.S. Psychological Strategy Based on Thailand", January 27, 1954
with Annex A - Summary of Recommendations by Ambassador Donovan (SECRET)

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